## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

: Jiong-Ping LU

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**Application Number** 

: 10/790,606

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Title

: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING A SILICIDED GATE

**ELECTRODE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE** 

THEREFOR

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## RESPONSE

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed April 11, 2007, the period for response having been extended two (2) months to September 11, 2007 by the petition and fee filed concurrently herewith, Applicant proposes to amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 7.